



The Chaturvedi Veterans Tournament, 21 and 23 June 2022

The 10th Chaturvedi Veterans Tournament was held on Tuesday 21 and Thursday 23 June on the ESTEC course. As usual the format was the demanding medal stroke play with handicap adjustment and we were back to shotgun starts. Sixteen players competed over both rounds. The course was in very good condition with a comfortable temperature in the high 20s on Tuesday. However on Thursday the temperature was really hot, above 30C, and with no wind.

Joe scored a magnificent 51 nett on the first day, the lowest single round score in the ten years of the competition. Seven players scored par or better rounds, again a record for the competition. On day two, Gijs had the best round with 55, four players scored par or better but Joe maintained his form and ended with a total score of 107, eclipsing the previous best of 114 by Hanna in 2014. Geoff, with two sub-par rounds was second and Barrie, with a great round of 54 on the first day, was third.

Player	SR	R1	R2	Total
Joseph Pereira	16	51	56	107
Geoffrey Beckwith	18	56	57	113
Barrie Henson	24	54	62	116
Barteld de Jong	26	60	57	117
Gijs Tan	24	62	55	117
Henk Wapstra	14	56	61	117
Reno Harboe-S.	29	58	63	121
Wil Spangenberg	21	60	64	124
Nely Borst	24	61	64	125
Kjeld Hjortnaes	23	57	69	126
Willem Borst	24	66	61	127
Clare Bingham	24	64	67	131
Carel Haakman	18	72	60	132
Helma Nollen	20	61	72	133
Klaus Ludwig	17	57	79	136
Hans van Oel	28	81	74	155
Averages	21.9	61.0	63.8	124.8

The event concluded with dinner (twenty persons) and presentation at the Boerhaave restaurant in Voorhout. It was a pleasure to have Beena and Dinesh join the party and we thank them again for their support over the years, with the original trophy, the 'keepers' and not forgetting the aperitif and first drink!



On the occasion of this tenth anniversary we might revisit the scene of earlier triumphs. Why was 2022 so exceptional? See the last column showing the number of rounds at nett par or better.

Year	Winner	SR	R1	R2	Sum	<= par
2013	Dave Collins	15	65	59	124	0
2014	Hanna Jones	12	58	56	114	3
2015	Dave Collins	13	61	60	121	2
2016	Joe Pereira	13	60	61	121	0
2017	Peter Behrmann	15	55	62	117	2
2018	Wil Spangenberg	15	58	61	119	3
2019	Georges Gourmelon	16	56	61	117	1
2020	Brian Taylor	15	57	59	116	4
2021	Henk Wapstra	15	56	62	118	3
2022	Joe Pereira	16	51	56	107	11
	Averages	14.5	57.7	59.7	117.4	2.9

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Brian and Wil, 25 June 2022